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## Viewing cable 09KYIV1991, LUKASHENKO VISIT TO UKRAINE

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### Understanding cables

Every cable message consists of three parts:

- The top box shows each cables unique reference number, when and by whom it originally was sent, and what its initial classification was.
- The middle box contains the header information that is associated with the cable. It includes information about the receiver(s) as well as a general subject.
- The bottom box presents the body of the cable. The opening can contain a more specific subject, references to other cables ([browse by origin](#) to find them) or additional comment. This is followed by the main contents of the cable: a summary, a collection of specific topics and a comment section.

To understand the justification used for the classification of each cable, please use this [WikiSource](#) article as reference.

### Discussing cables

If you find meaningful or important information in a cable, please link directly to its unique reference number. Linking to a specific paragraph in the body of a cable is also possible by copying the appropriate link (to be found at the paragraph symbol). Please mark messages for social networking services like Twitter with the hash tags [#cablegate](#) and a hash containing the reference ID e.g. [#09KYIV1991](#).

Reference ID	Created	Released	Classification	Origin
<a href="#">09KYIV1991</a>	2009-11-13 15:42	2011-08-30 01:44	CONFIDENTIAL	Embassy Kyiv

Appears in these articles:

<http://rusrep.ru/article/2010/12/17/lukashenko/>

VZCZCXYZ0009  
RR RUEHWEB

DE RUEHKV #1991/01 3171542  
ZNY CCCCC ZZH  
R 131542Z NOV 09  
FM AMEMBASSY KYIV  
TO RUEHC/SECSTATE WASHDC 8818  
INFO RUCNCIS/CIS COLLECTIVE  
RUEHZG/NATO EU COLLECTIVE

C O N F I D E N T I A L KYIV 001991

SIPDIS

E.O. 12958: DECL: 11/11/2019  
TAGS: [PREL](#) [PBTS](#) [ENRG](#) [BO](#) [UP](#)  
SUBJECT: LUKASHENKO VISIT TO UKRAINE

Classified By: Political Counselor Colin Cleary. Reasons: 1.4 (b/d).

Summary

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[11. \(C](#) Belarusian President Lukashenko's November 5-6 official visit to Kyiv attracted interest less for the modest deliverables and more for [12. \(C](#) Though publicly hailed as a breakthrough, Belarusian President Lukashenko's November 5-6 visit to Kyiv yielded, at least on paper, mode [13. \(C](#) Aside from discussing the border treaty, the sides pledged to cooperate in implementing mutually beneficial projects under the EU's Eas [14. \(C](#) Contacts both in and out of government saw the significance of the visit more in symbolic terms. It represented something of a thaw in [15. \(C](#) Contacts pointed to regional economic projects that would benefit from improved Ukrainian-Belarusian relations, such as the sale of Ukr [16. \(C](#) Observers were quick to attribute geopolitical significance to the meeting. Presidential Secretariat Foreign Policy Advisor Bohdan Yama [17. \(C](#) Lukashenko stated flatly in the main joint press conference that closer relations between Ukraine and Belarus were not targeted at anyc [18. \(C](#) Although there are no territorial disputes between the two states, finalizing the border treaty with Belarus would be a symbol of Ukrai